

Selectmen's Minutes
09 January 2002
12:00pm

The Chair, Lloyd Sullivan, called the regularly scheduled public session to order at 12:20. Those present included George Lagassa, Jenifer Landman (selectmen) and Russell McAllister, (Town Administrator).

Collective Bargaining Agreement & Vote

The Board expressed disappointment over the decision by membership of the Firefighter's Union to not ratify the tentatively agreed contract. The TA explained that lack of an agreement meant that the warrant article and the subsequent appropriation for the collective bargaining agreement would not be placed on the Town Warrant for vote at Town Meeting. Because the union membership rejected the agreement no action by the Board was taken.

Warrant Articles & Default Budget

The Board reviewed the warrant articles and agreed to recommend all of them. The recommendation of the BoS over the citizen's petition to change the Planning Board from elected to appointed garnered a split vote with Messrs. Lagassa & Sullivan voting to recommend and Ms. Landman abstaining. There was a brief discussion on the issue of including a warrant article seeking an appropriation for TRASH. Mr. Lagassa made the motion to not include such an article on the warrant. Mr. Sullivan seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous and so moved. The Board accepted the default budget.

There being no further business to come before the Board the meeting adjourned at approximately 1:30pm.

Respectfully,

Russell McAllister
Town Administrator